





## KENTUCKY NEWS.

The Latest News From All Parts of the Commonwealth.

### THE TIE BROKEN.

Legislator Wilson Dies, and the Republicans Win.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 13.—Representative Isaac Wilson, of Nelson county, died Saturday morning at 5 o'clock, and the party deadlock in the assembly was broken.

Mr. Wilson was a democrat and had been brought here several times by his friends to try to get him elected. His great desire was to live long enough to vote for Senator Blackburn in the joint assembly, but death came before that in the senatorial contest had been reached.

Mr. Wilson was too ill to make any speech before his election, and it was known at that time that he was sick with a fatal liver trouble.

He was a man, but he never was able to uproot the party.

His house was in session only five minutes Saturday, adjourning as a sign of respect to the deceased and awaiting the unanimous committee to attend the funeral.

**SPAKER BLANDFORD**

ays Lessing a Ballot for a Special Election in Nelson County.

FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 13.—The democrats in the legislature are torn up over Speaker Blandford's hesitancy calling a special election in Nelson county to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Dr. D. B. Hunter.

They say the speaker plans to call a special election on Saturday to issue his writ Monday for an election on January 21, which might be in time for his successor to vote for senator, but the speaker's deteriorating Saturday night and day he has been determined when he will issue the writ.

Eight days' notice of the holding of an election is required and Wilson's successor will not be the joint assembly, and Hunter will be elected.

Owing to the failure to issue a writ election will be held on January 21, not until January 24 or after.

A successor will not be named in time to vote for Senator Blackburn.

Mr. Wilson said that they will re-

turn to go into the joint assembly

Wednesday, January 21, on account of a quorum.

Not as He Ran.

VERSAILLES, Ky., Jan. 13.—John St. John, a well-known Jamesian gentleman near Mortonsville, both are buried. Coleman, 60 years old, and St. John, 59, Coleman suspected St. John of being unduly intimate with his wife and, meeting him on the id, began to chaste him. St. John said he had been taken to the house and told him that in the back hall piercing his body. St. John was buried in Versailles and placed in a nail. Coleman may get well.

**Brether's Fatal Quarrel.**

WEST LIBERTY, Ky., Jan. 11.—Tom Frank and Will Hopkins, brothers, while at work in a barn, blazed over the division of their work. Will, the youngest, aged 16, attacked Tom with a scythe, and the two took to implements away from him and stabbed him six times with a knife. The injured boy is dying and officers are on the track of the knife-user, who fled immediately after the cutting. The boy is thought to be a jester. The senate will invite all the ministers to its sessions.

**A Disputation.**

FRANKFORT, Ky., Jan. 13.—It was announced Sunday night that the committee appointed to hold a debate before the state convention on January 21, had been adjourned.

Frankfort churches and invite them to open each day's session with a sermon determined not to invite a Catholic priest. This was brought out by the A. P. A. members, who returned to walk out of the house whenever the priest prayed. The senate will have such a debate, as it has ready invited all the ministers to its sessions.

**Four Boys' Serious Joke.**

LEXINGTON, Ky., Jan. 13.—Four boys living at Waddy, a small town on the Southern railroad north of Lawrenceburg, had a narrow escape in sudden death in attempting to retrace a joke. They went to the station to extract a bullet from a tree to make the invalids believe there was an earthquake. A mature detonation broke down the tree, knocking the quartet of jokers conscious, but not fatally injuring.

**Hoison a Candidate.**

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 13.—Gen. E. H. Hoison, a tall, dark, bearded man, commander of the National G. A. I. grand commander of the department of Kentucky, announces his candidacy for delegate from the state delegation to the republican national convention at St. Louis.

**Boarding House Fire.**

PARIS, Ky., Jan. 13.—A bacon's wository frame residence on Main street, occupied by Jesse Berry as a boarding house, burned with entire contents Sunday morning at five o'clock. No injuries were suffered in a barber shop, which was situated in the same building.

**A Suspect Arrested.**

DANVILLE, Ky., Jan. 10.—A man answering the description of Henry Price, but wanted for the killing of a man in a train, was arrested yesterday afternoon by an outgoing freight train of Chief of Police Helm. He claims to be James Isely, from Lima, O., and says he was on his way home from Kentucky.

**Crashed by a War Bullet.**

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 10.—"Yankee Bill" Crawford was taken to Lakeland asylum Thursday afternoon. Crawford imagines that he is worth \$400,000, and that he and ex-Admiral McLevy, together worth \$800,000. A severe affection is due to a wound in the head received at the battle of Gettysburg.

**His Wounds Proved Fatal.**

PALMERSVILLE, Ky., Jan. 10.—Hiram McFarlin, who was shot by Gratz Arnett at Sayerville the night before Christmas, died Thursday morning. Arnett, who was out on \$10,000 bail, was placed in jail without bond, and the charge of willful murder placed against him.

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HENDERSON, Ky., Jan. 10.—Miss Bettie Burford, prominent in Versailles society, will be married Saturday to George J. Dexter, of Dallas, Tex. Miss Burford went to Bardstown, Ky., last week to visit her uncle, and the wed- ding will occur there.

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